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In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 12 line 1, as follows:

--ABSTRACT

Disclosed is a method for monitoring a technical device, according to which a number of operational signals are detected during operation. A mean operation signal value is formed using said operation signals, and at least one standard operational signal is generated therefrom. The standard operational signal is ultimately compared to a reference value range of the respective operational signal.--